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Docket No. 18124 (AT 20958-1035

PATENT

HE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Daniel Williams Fry, Jr. et al.

Art Unit: 2839

Serial No.: 10/718,371

Filed: November 20, 2003

Examiner: Prasad, Chandrika

For: SURFACE MOUNT HEADER

ASSEMBLY

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P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL

- 1. Transmitted herewith is:
 - Amendment in response to Office Action dated July 26, 2005 (12 pages)
 - Return Postcard

STATUS

2. Applicant

claims small entity status.
is other than a small entity.

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Jay J. Hoette, Reg. No. 50,666

EXTENSION OF TERM

3.	The proceeding apply.	ons of 37 C.F.R. 1.136										
	-FF-J	(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)										
	(a) Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 (Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)											
		Extension for response within:		Other than small entity Fee	Small entity Fee (if applicable)							
		first month	· \$	120.00	\$ 60.00							
		second month	\$	450.00	\$ 225.00							
		third month	\$	1,020.00	\$ 510.00							
		fourth month	\$1	,590.00	\$ 795.00							
		fifth month	\$2,160.00		\$1,080.00							
				Fee:	\$							
If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.												
(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)												
An extension of months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.												
	Extension fee due with this request \$											
	OR											
	cond	However, this sibility that tition for extension										

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4.	The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:											
	(Col. 1)			(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY				
		AIMS										
		AINING FTER		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY	PRESEN	T ADDITIONAL.		ADDITIONAL				
		IDMENT	·	PAID FOR	EXTRA	RATE FEE	OR	RATE FEE				
TOTAL	.		MINUS		=	x \$25.00 = \$		x \$50.00 = \$				
INDEP.			MINUS		=	x \$100.00 = \$		x \$200.00 = \$				
-	FIRS	T PRESEN	TATION OF	MULTIPLE DEP.	CLAIM	+ \$180.00 = \$		+ \$360.00 = \$				
				 		TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$	OR	TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE \$				
	(a)		No add	itional fee fo	r Claims	is required						
					OR							
(b)												
				FEI	E PAYM	ENT						
5.	5. Attached is a check in the sum of \$ Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.											
				FEE :	DEFICI	ENCY						
6. If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit A 01-2384.												
	AND/OR											
	\boxtimes	If any additional fee for claims is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.										
7.		Other:			R A O S	hy J. Hoette eg. No. 50,666 RMSTRONG TEAS one Metropolitan Squ t. Louis, MO 63102 14-621-5070						

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In response to the Office Action dated July 26, 2005, and made final, Applicants hereby submit the following amendment in an attempt to place the application in condition for allowance.